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THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION

- 25X1 a. The Albanian import organization has made an agreement with Soviet author-
ities for delivery of Artol-18 during June and July; it was requested that
at least three days notice be given prior to the arrival of each tanker
at Albanian ports.
- 25X1 b. Polish authorities were informed by the Albanians that only 5,500 tons of
cargo could be loaded 25 June
trip. It was thought that the entire cargo of 10,000 tons could be loaded
after the 20th of July; however, if that were done, it would be impossible
to complete loading at that time.
- 25X1 c. Albanian authorities informed a Berlin organization, Diaberbau, that
chrome shipments for the remainder of the year were scheduled as follows:
2000 tons to be loaded in June, 5,000 tons to be supplied during the third
quarter, and another 3,000 tons to be supplied during the fourth quarter.
- 25X1 d. Albanian authorities were informed by a Soviet organization that some
vessels, names unknown, were expected to arrive on the 20th of June. It
was also stated that 700 tons of mineral asphalt and 2000 tons type 3
petroleum asphalt were to be loaded on the SS WO LOKOLAMSK.
- 25X1 e. Czechoslovak officials informed the Albanian import organization that
three specialists in mine electrification, primarily for construction of
primary and secondary lines in mines, were departing for Albania about the
first of June.
- f. The Albanian import organization reportedly informed Soviet authorities

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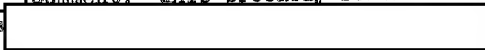


that they are responsible for the fact that [redacted] tanker [redacted]
did not carry any olive oil during June, since she was used for carry-
ing gasoline during that time.



Comment: This probably refers to the 24 June arrival

at Durres



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